IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Hammam Elabd

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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This paper is responsive to the Final Office Action mailed July 30, 2004, for which a response is due October 30, 2004.

Petition for Extension of Time. Applicants' attorney hereby petitions for an extension of time of one month to include November 30, 2004, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136. The fee for this petition is estimated to be \$55.00.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any required fee to Pillsbury Winthrop LLP's deposit account no. 50-2213 (order no. 083452-0261856).

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